## **Amendment to the Claims:**

- 1. (Cancelled)
- 2. (Cancelled)
- 3. (Cancelled)
- 4. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 2 22 wherein the 1,2 dioxetane is [(4-methoxy)-4-(3-phosphoryloxy-4-chlorophenyl)] spiro [1,2 dioxetane-3,13'-tricyclo[7,3,1,0<sup>2,7</sup>] tridec-2,7-ene], disodium salt.
- 5. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1 wherein the enhancer is selected from the group consisting of an ammonium or a phosphonium polymeric salt and mixtures thereof.
- 6. (Original) The system of claim 5 wherein the polymer salt comprises a fluorescent molecule.
- 7. (Original) The system of claim 5 wherein the enhancer is a water-soluble polymeric compound prepared by reacting polyvinylbenzyl chloride with either tributylphosphine or tributylamine to form the phosphonium salt or ammonium salt, respectively.
- 8. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 5, wherein the enhancer is partially water-soluble, the enhancer being prepared by the reaction of polyvinyl benzyl chloride with either a 4:1 weight ratio mixture of (a) trioctylphosphine and tributylphosphine tributylphosphine or (b) trioctylamine and tributylamine.
- 9. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 5 wherein the enhancer is a water-insoluble polymeric compound prepared by reacting polyvinylbenzyl chloride with either trioctylphosphine or trioctytylamine to form the phosphonium salt or ammonium salt, respectively:

- 10. The system of claim 9 wherein the polymer comprises a fluorescent molecule.
- 11. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1 wherein the enzyme diluent comprises an aqueous mixture of:
  - (a) a metal halide,
  - (a) (b) an alcohol,
  - (b) (c) an amine-based salt,
  - (e) (d) a blood or plant protein or mixtures thereof, and wherein the diluent has a pH of from about pH 7 to about pH 10, the diluent corresponding to blood components, and further wherein the system is enzyme triggerable at single molecule detection levels.
- 12. (Currently Amended) A method of chemiluminescence detection, which comprises; contacting the system of claim 1 with an enzyme selected from the group consisting of alkaline phosphatase, beta galactosidase, and cholinesterase.
- 13.-20. (Withdrawn)
- 21. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 3 22 wherein the chemiluminescent 1,2-dioxetane has the following structure

- 22. A chemiluminescence detection system, comprising:
- (a) an enzyme triggerable stable chemiluminescent 1,2-dioxetane corresponding to the formula:

$$R_2$$
 $C$ 
 $C$ 
 $OR_1$ 
 $Ar - O - Y$ 

wherein  $R_2$  and  $R_3$  are each organic groups which when combined together form an unsaturated organic group or when uncombined at least one of the  $R_2$  and  $R_3$  contains an unsaturated carbon double bond or triple bond and Y is an enzyme cleavable group and  $R_1$  is either a substituted or unsubstituted aryl, alkyl, aralkyl, alkaryl, alkene or alkyne, and further wherein when Ar-O-Y and OR join together to give an aryl group substituted with an O-Y group to form a stable 1,2-dioxetane intermediate which is triggerable to form an unstable intermediate oxide,  $R_2$  and  $R_3$  form which is either cyclic, polycyclic or a spiro-fused ring containing at least one carbon-carbon double bond or cabon-carbon triple bond in the ring or side chain with or without hetero atoms,

- (a) an enhancer, and
- (b) an enzyme diluent or stabilizer.